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SUBJECT: SECURITY SUPPLIES FOR BUJUMBURA

REF A, BUJUMBURA A-103, B. STATE 4868, C. ADDIS 1090 C. BUJ 21

1 APPRECIATE OFFER OF TWO MRL ELECTRONIC COMBINATION LOCKS MADE BY ADDIS BUT BEFORE ACCEPTING, POST WOULD LIKE TO TRY TO OBTAIN CYPHER LOCKS OR SUITABLE SUBSTITUTE WITH 220VOLT/BATTERY CAPABILITY.

2. IF MRL LOCK IS USED, POST WOULD HAVE TO ISSUE SEVERAL KEYS TO EACH LOCK, EXPECIALLY LOCK PROPOSED AS REPLACEMENT FOR EXISTING SIMPLEX AT TOP OF STAIRS (REF D) FOR WHICH EACH AMERICAN WOULD HAVE TO HAVE A KEY. WITH SEVERAL KEYS IN EXISTENCE, LOSS OF ONE WOULD NEGATE PROTECTION OBTAINED WITH LOCK. POST FEELS THIS NOT BEST SOLUTION.

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3. BATTERY OPERATION IS ESSENTIAL DUE TO NUMEROUS POWER OUTAGES

AT POST. IF LOCK HAS BATTERY CAPABILITY KEYS WILL NOT BE
NECESSARY AND COMBINATION CAN BE CHANGED AS OFTEN AS NEEDED.

4. IF AVAILABLE IN STOCK, CAN DEPARTMENT SUPPLY TWO CYPHER
LOCKS? IF NOT, CAN TWO LOCKS BE PURCHASED?

5. IF PURCHASE NECESSARY, WHAT WOULD BE ESTIMATED DELIVERY TIME?
INSTALLATION OF DAY GATE BEING HELD PENDING RECEIPT OF LOCKS.
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